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DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	<b>Board of Geologists</b>
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	<b>Friday, March 9, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.</b>
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware <b>Conference Room B, Cannon Building</b>
MINUTES APPROVED:	<b>April 13, 2012</b>

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

William "Sandy" Schenck, President, Professional Member  
Scott Blaier, Vice President, Professional Member  
David Reinhold, Secretary, Professional Member  
Patricia Ennis, Public Member  
Maureen LaFate, Public Member  
Douglas Rambo, Professional Member  
Amos Aiken, Public Member (entered at 10:10 a.m.)

#### **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL**

Sandra Wagner, Administrative Specialist III  
Danny Stevenson, Deputy Attorney General

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT**

#### **PUBLIC PRESENT**

There was no public present for the Board meeting.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Schenck called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

#### **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

The Board reviewed the meeting minutes from the February 3, 2012 meeting. Ms. Ennis made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rambo to approve the minutes. The motion was unanimously approved.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Re-review application for Genesh Dhakal-FG only

Mr. Schenck made a motion, seconded by Mr. Reinhold, to send a letter to Mr. Dhakal asking him to send information pertaining to Westwood Evaluations. The motion was unanimously approved. Mr. Schenck contacted Westwood Evaluations and requested information about the company so the Board could determine if they met the qualifications that the Board would approve for a foreign credentialing company. Since the Board has received no information, the Board will need Mr. Dhakal to get the information for the Board if he would like to proceed with his application.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

Strategic Plan

Review of New Rules and Regulations

The Board reviewed the proposed changes to the Rules and Regulations for sections 5.2 and 6.0. Mr. Schenck

made a motion, seconded by Mr. Blaier, to approve the revised version of the proposed rules and regulations. The motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Stevenson will be sending the revisions to Mr. Schenck and Ms. Wagner to review and then Mr. Stevenson will send to be published in the registry.

Mr. Schenck made a motion, seconded by Ms. Ennis, to add manslaughter to the Board's list of crimes substantially related to the practice of geology. The motion was unanimously approved.

#### Practice under Licensed Supervision

Mr. Schenck read a letter that was sent to the Board from Piotr J. Servik, PG from URS Corporation. Mr. Servik was informing the Board that he is currently assuming responsibility under his license for Sharon Roberts, Stephan Zanhiser, and Neil Laird and that they will be employed with URS Corporation. Ms. Wagner will file the letter in the appropriate file.

#### Review of Continuing Education Approval Applications

##### Thomas Stanley – ASCE

Mr. Reinhold summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Reinhold made a motion, seconded by Mr. Blaier, to deny the course, Engineering Ethics Workshop, for 1.0 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

##### Anne A. Bell – Rutgers University

Mr. Reinhold summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Reinhold made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schenck, to approve the course, Groundwater in Fractured Bedrock at Rutgers University, for 6 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

##### Doug Miller

Mr. Reinhold summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Reinhold made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schenck, to approve the course, Eagle Ford Shale Conference for Hart Energy Events, for 5.0 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Reinhold made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schenck, to deny the course, Local Project Administration Certification Course for Maine Dept. of Transportation, for 5.0 CEU's because this course is not substantially related to the practice of geology. The motion was unanimously approved.

##### Christopher Horan

Mr. Reinhold summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Reinhold made a motion, seconded by Mr. Aiken, to approve the course, ITRC – LNAPL: Science, Management, and Technology, for 14.5 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Blaier summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Blaier made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schenck, to approve the course, Long-Term Monitoring Optimization GW Remediating Using MAROS for Massachusetts LSP Association, for 7.5 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Blaier made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rambo, to approve the course, Pneumatic Slug Testing for Ram's Horn Educational, LLC, for 4.0 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

##### Kathryn West – Battelle

Mr. Blaier summarized the application for the Board. Mr. Blaier made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schenck, to approve the 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference, Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds, for 12.0 CEU's. The motion was unanimously approved.

#### Review of Application for Reciprocity

There were no applications for Reciprocity to review.

#### Review of Applications for Examination

There were no applications for Reciprocity to review.

#### Complaint Assignments

There were no new complaint assignments for February.

Complaint Status

23-01-11 – Mr. Schenck

**OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (for discussion only)**

There was no other business before the Board.

**WALL CERTIFICATES**

There were no certificates for signature in March.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

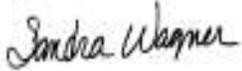
**NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for April 13, 2012, at 10:00 a.m. in Conference Room B, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Mr. Schenck made a motion, seconded by Mr. Blaier, to adjourn the meeting at 11:24 a.m. The motion was unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted,



Sandra Wagner – DE Board of Geologists  
Administrative Specialist III